

I hereby certify that on the date specified below, this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.

Shaffe F. Lann.

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICIPECE/VE

DEC 21 2001

TC 1700

Applicant

Application No.

Filed

July 25, 2001

For

FUEL CELL ANOMALY DETECTION METHOD AND

APPARATUS

Art Unit

: 1745

Docket No.

130109.406

Date

December 6, 2001

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97 through 1.98, applicant wishes to make known to the Patent and Trademark Office the references set forth on the attached Forms PTO-1449 (copies of the cited references are enclosed). As to any reference supplied, applicant does not admit that it is "prior art" under 35 U.S.C. §§ 102 or 103, and specifically reserves the right to traverse or antedate any such reference, as by a showing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.131 or other method. Although the aforesaid references are made known to the Patent and Trademark Office in compliance with applicant's duty to disclose all information he is aware of which is believed relevant to the examination of the above-identified application, applicant believes that his invention is patentable.

Please acknowledge receipt of this Information Disclosure Statement and kindly make the cited references of record in the above-identified application.

Respectfully submitted,

Brian Wells

Seed Intellectual Property Law Group PLLC

Frank Abramonte

Registration No. 38,066

FXA:sfl

Enclosures:

Postcard
Forms PTO-1449 (2 Sheets)
Cited References (24)
701 Fifth Avenue, Suite 6300
Seattle, Washington 98104-7092

Seattle, Washington 98104-7092 Phone: (206) 622-4900

Fax: (206) 622-490 Fax: (206) 682-6031

	OIPE	D 1745
Please type a plus sign (+) inside this b	OX Patendand Trademark O	PTO/SB/21 (08-00) or use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031 ffice: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995	U.S. Paterwand Trademark O	
TRANSMITTA	Application Number	09/916,115
FORM	Filing Date	July 25, 2001
1 01/191	First Named Inventor	Brian Wells
(To be used for all correspond	Group Art Unit	1745
after initial filing)	Examiner Name	Not yet assigned 130109.406
	Attorney Docket No.	130109.406
	NCLOSURES (check all that app	(VI) 5 2/1/14
Fee Transmittal Form Fee Attached Amendment/Response After Final Affidavits/declaration(s) Extension of Time Request Express Abandonment Request Information Disclosure Statement; Forms PTO-1449 (2 Sheets) 24 Cited References Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) Response to Missing Parts under 37 C.F.R. 1.52 or 1.53 Response to Missing Parts/Incomplete Application	Assignment Papers (for an Application) Drawing(s) Request for Corrected Filing Receipt Licensing-related Papers Petition Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application Power of Attorney, Revocation, Change of Correspondence Address Declaration Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) Terminal Disclaimer Small Entity Statement Request for Refund	CD(s), Number of CD(s) After Allowance Communication to Group Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and interferences Appeal Communication to Group (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) Proprietary Information Status Letter Return Receipt Postcard Additional Enclosure(s) (please identify below):
Remarks	<u> </u>	
SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT Individual Name Frank Abramonte, 38,066		
, and the second	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	00500 PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE
Signature	C C	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Date 06 - 3	DSC-01	J. A. A.
I hereby certify that this correspo	CERTIFICATE OF MAILING Indence is being deposited with the	United States Postal Service to: Commissioner for Patents,
Typed or printed name Sha	ne F. Lambing	
Signature Chinings and Shanier 1220664 1 DOC 10814		Date: 12/6/01